

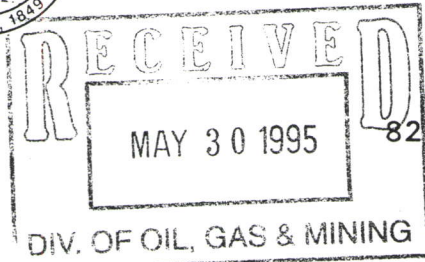


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UTU-69803
UTU-69804
(UT-068)

MAY 25 1995

Mr. Frank Barnett
Umetco Minerals Corporation
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Re: Closeout of BLM Case Files for Mining Notices UTU-69803 (UDOGM File Number E/037/076) and UTU-69804 (UDOGM File Number S/019/033)

Dear Mr. Barnett: LASAL PROJECT

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On May 24, 1995 Mr. Sal Venticinque of our office, accompanied by you and Mr. Pat J.L. Lyons, also of Umetco made a close-out field inspection of each of the above-referenced mining notices. UTU-69803 is located on South Beaver Mesa, while UTU-69804 is located on Polar Mesa.

Reclamation of the UTU-69804 site appears satisfactory. UTU-69803 reclamation appears satisfactory for all but 2 of the authorized 19 drill sites drilled; these two sites need additional minor rehabilitation.

During the inspections you indicated that these two drill sites would be promptly rehabilitated. Therefore, based on our experience with your reclamation work Umetco Minerals Corporation is released from any further reclamation responsibility under UTU-69803 and UTU-69804, and the BLM case files are closed out. Please perform the necessary rehabilitation work on the two UTU-69803 drill sites as soon as possible and notify Mr. Venticinque when the work is completed. Should you have questions, please contact him at this office, (801) 259-2141.

Sincerely,

Acting Area Manager

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